240th Quartermaster Supply Company

THE ROCK IS ROLLING!

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Things are heating up! As I'm sure all of you are aware, the 240th QMS is preparing for an upcoming deployment for OIF3 with some field exercises. The Rock heads to Grafenwöhr from 16 Aug – 17 Aug for Convoy Live Fire Exercise (CLFX) familiarization Range and other training, and then again from 23 Aug – 2 Sept for the actual Convoy Live Fire Exercise. This is great training that will no doubt improve the performance and readiness of our Soldiers in a combat environment for OIF3. This will be a new type of training for everyone involved [illegible] educational.

We had a great month for promotions and Soldiers advancing in their careers. Ten (10) members of "The Rock" moved up a rank this month. Congratulations to all the promotees. Outstanding work!

SSG Johnson and SSG Parson conducting Training on Landing Zone Operations on 16 August 2004.

The battalion is holding its Organizational Day on 19 Aug 04. It should be a fun filled day with sports and activities for the Soldiers to participate in. All families are invited and encouraged to come on out and enjoy the day with their spouses and have a good time. The organizational day is followed by a battalion training holiday on Friday 20 Aug 04. We have a lot of work to do arc[illegible] our CL[illegible]njoy thi[illegible] Ple[illegible]!

Soldiers of the 240th Quartermaster receive words of encouragement and praise as they are promoted

FRG

Our next FRG gathering is on 17 AUG 04 at 1800 hrs. The theme will be finger foods. Please make it if you can. We've been having great turn outs so far, and if you're not attending you are missing out on some good food and information about future unit events. Contact Tomaika Abraham at tomaika@hotmail.com if you have any questions about FRG.

Hails

PVT Ahsiu
PV2 Azure
SGT Elder
SGT Peters
PVT Desantiago
PV2 Sassi
SGT Cunningham

Farewells

SPC Taylor
SGT Blancaflor

Promotions and Awards

PV2 Bacchus promoted to PFC
PV2 Salako promoted to PFC
PV2 Horton promoted to PFC
PV2 Harvey promoted to PFC
PV2 Seymore promoted to PFC
PV2 Drew promoted to PFC
PV2 Humphrey promoted to PFC
PFC Harvey promoted to SPC
SPC Peters promoted to SGT
2LT Torres promoted to 1LT